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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

RE: Applicant(s): Peter Szor  
Assignee: Symantec Corporation  
Title: RETURN-TO-LIBC ATTACK BLOCKING SYSTEM AND METHOD  
Serial No.: 10/671,202 Filed: September 25, 2003  
Examiner: Ronald Baum Group Art Unit: 2136  
Docket No.: SYMC1038

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents for the response to the Office Action dated March 9, 2007 in the above application:

1. Return receipt postcard;
2. This Transmittal Letter (2 pages); and
3. Amendment (11 pages).

No additional claims fees are required.

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED

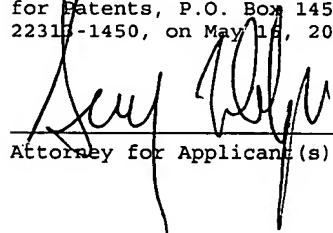
|  | Claims Remaining<br>after Amendment | Highest No.<br>Previously<br>Paid For | Present<br>Extra | Rate       | Additional<br>Fee |
|--|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------|------------|-------------------|
| Total Claims   | 23                                  | - 24                                  | = 0              | x \$50.00  | \$ 0.00           |
| Independent Claims   | 3                                   | - 3                                   | = 0              | x \$200.00 | \$ 0.00           |
| First filing of Multiple Dependent Claim (Enter \$290)                   |                                     |                                       |                  |            | 0.00              |
| Total of above Calculation   |                                     |                                       |                  |            | \$0.00            |
| Reduction by 50% for filing by Small Entity (Enter 0.5 for small entity) |                                     |                                       |                  |            | 1.0               |
| Subtotal   |                                     |                                       |                  |            | \$ 0.00           |
| <b>TOTAL</b>   |                                     |                                       |                  |            | <b>\$ 0.00</b>    |

☒ Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for timely filing of the enclosed documents after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered, Applicant(s) hereby petition for such an extension of time.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required for consideration of the enclosed documents, and to credit any overpayment of fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0553.

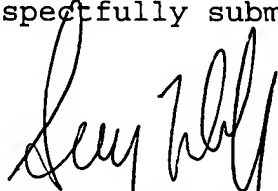
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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22312-1450, on May 16, 2007.

  
Attorney for Applicant(s)

May 16, 2007  
Date of Signature

Respectfully submitted,

  
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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 9, 2007,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

1. Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper; and
2. Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.